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GETTYSBURG, PA., WEDNESDAY JUNE 24, 1908

NO. 44

## THE DEATH LIST OF A WEEK

### AN AGED MOTHER OF NEW OXFORD STRICKEN AND DIES.

In the List Two Were Over Four Score Years of Age and Two Others Near that Mark.

MRS. SARAH DITZLER, widow of the late David Ditzler, one of New Oxford's oldest and most highly respected citizens died in that place on Tuesday of last week from the effects of paralysis, aged 82 years, 8 months and 13 days. Mrs. Ditzler was stricken on Sunday night previous and remained in a semi-conscious condition until Monday night when she received a second stroke resulting in death.

Mrs. Ditzler was a most exemplary Christian lady, ever ready to assist the needy and comfort the afflicted; a loving mother and a good neighbor. She is survived by six sons—Jacob of Abbottstown, John, of Heidlersburg, David of Dixon, Ill., Amos and Chas. of Lancaster county, and William of Hanover, and five daughters—Mrs. Menges and Mrs. Harry Tieman of near New Oxford, Mrs. David Lehigh of near Abbottstown, Misses Melvina and Anna at home. One brother, Henry Stock of New Oxford and two sisters—Mrs. Tena Diehl and Mrs. George Yohe of Hanover, also survive her with 13 grandchildren and 7 great-grandchildren. Her husband died 17 years ago. The funeral took place last Friday morning, services and interment at Mummert's Meeting House, Revs. David and Charles Baker officiating. Deceased had followed farming the greater part of his life and was widely known and highly esteemed.

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The funeral services occurred on Monday and interment was made at Beddersville.

The deceased was a daughter of William Klepper, of Mt. Holly. Her husband and two children survive.

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He was a sober, model young man and his parents have the sympathy of a wide circle of friends and acquaintances in their bereavement. The body was taken to his home and the funeral was held last Saturday, services by Rev. L. C. Baker, with interment in the Hampton cemetery. He is survived by his father and mother and one sister, Mrs. Charles Wolfe, of Orrtanna.

JOHN H. ORNER, of Brysonia, who has been ill for some time from general debility, died last Thursday morning, June 18th, aged 75 years and 4 months. He leaves a wife and six children, two sons and four daughters, who are all married except the youngest son, George. He is also survived by one brother, Henry H. Orner, Esq. Mr. Orner resided all his life in this locality and was well known as a man of good habits and honest dealings.

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In memory of WILMER E. HERSEY, who died at Upland, Cal., June 25th, 1907. The family tie is broken. Wilmer, we miss the, but while we mourn thy loss we can be encouraged and have the assurance that thou art up yonder where all tears are wiped away and all troubles cease. He is gone from among us, but a voice comes from the tomb saying: "Be ye also ready, for in such an hour as ye think not the son of man cometh." Rest dear brother till we meet thee in yonder realms of bliss.

By his sister, C. L. W.

### In Memory.

In sad but loving remembrance of our dear mother, Mrs. MARY C. TATE, who departed this life June 7, 1908, aged 70 years and 25 days.

Yes, mother's gone, a place is vacant in our home. Which never will be filled And Alice, her voice is silent, And her mother, her smile will see.

Her tired hands are folded now, Around the quieties heart.

No more of suffering on her brow, Now all the cold lips are still.

We miss thy kind and willing hand, Thy fond and earnest care.

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Farewell, dear mother, a sad farewell! Since your sweet face no more we see.

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In her son, CHARLES E. TATE

In memory of dear grandma.

Dear grandma, must we give you up,

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How can we drink the bitter cup,

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By her grand-daughters

STELLA AND HELEN TATE

MRS. ALICE SIDESINGER, wife of Frank Sidesinger, died at her home in

Idaville, Monday morning of last week, from consumption. The deceased was aged 42 years.

She was a member of Mt. Zion Lutheran church.

Mrs. Sidesinger is survived by her husband, three daughters and one son—Mrs. Nettie Whitcomb, of York Springs; Carrie, Edythe and George, at home. She is also survived by her parents, Daniel Miller and wife, and four brothers—Charles W. Miller and Edward Miller, of Idaville; George, of Iowa, and John, of York Springs.

The funeral was held Thursday morning at 10 o'clock. Interment at Mt. Zion Cemetery.

SOLOMON KEENEY died at his home in Hamilton township, close to Abbottstown, Monday morning of last week, after a lingering illness of one year, from cancer of the stomach, aged 72 years, 4 months and 7 days. Mr. Keene is survived by his wife and six children—Milton and Prus Keene, and Mrs. Milton Wolf, of York; Solomon Keene, of New Oxford; Mrs. Chas. Hafer, Abbottstown, and Mrs. H. P. Alleweit, Hanover. The funeral took place last Thursday morning, services and interment at Mummert's Meeting House, Revs. David and Charles Baker officiating. Deceased had followed farming the greater part of his life and was widely known and highly esteemed.

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## XAVIER COMMENCEMENT

### FIVE YOUNG PEOPLE GRADUATED LAST WEEK.

#### An Attractive and Well Prepared Program Marked the Event—Certificates Awarded.

The Commencement exercises of St. Francis Xavier's School took place in Xavier Hall on Tuesday evening of last week. Five young people were graduated. The hall was tastefully decorated and filled with an audience to witness the interesting exercises. The entire program was presented with that well prepared effect which has always marked the commencement of this school and which speaks in the highest commendable way of the work of the sisters in instruction and drilling of the pupils. The work of the young scholars was shown in two very attractive numbers of the program, "I Can't Do That Sam," and "Dottie's Dream," and the following entire program reflected the work of those who had it in charge.

Chorus, Assumpta Esq., Vocal Class, accompanied by Miss I. Tawney.

Piano Duo, E. Zinkand, E. Hudson, F. Culp, G. Slonaker.

The Ship I Love, Senior Boys.

Piano Solo, Ripples of the Alabama, Misses C. Codori, M. King.

I Can't Do That Sam, Little Ones.

National Medley, Paul.

Piano, Misses R. Strasbaugh, M. Frommeyer, G. Slonaker, E. Martin.

Mandolins, Misses M. Power, M. Sterner, Master J. Codori.

Violin, Miss N. Kelly.

Woodbird's Song, Glover.

Piano Solo, Pape, Misses I. Tawney, M. King.

Dottie's Dream, Little Girls.

Chorus, Soldiers in the Park, Monckton.

March, Sousa, First Mandolins, Miss M. Power, Master J. Codori; Second Mandolins, Misses D. Stock, M. Sterner, C. Codori; Violin, Miss N. Kelly; Guitars, Master C. Swisher, H. Spangler, B. Redding; Piano, Miss M. King.

Action Song, Lewis, Intermediate Girls.

Recitation, Battle of Gettysburg, Senior Girls.

Tenting To-night, Senior Boys.

Piano Duo, Silver Trumpets, Misses E. Codori, C. Brauner, M. Twomey, F. Martin.

Valedictory, Charles E. Swisher.

Chorus, Jolly Students, Zickel.

Confering of diplomas.

Address by Rev. T. W. Hayes, after which the following awards were announced:

For having satisfactorily completed the prescribed course of studies of St. Francis Xavier's School, diplomas are awarded to Master Charles E. Swisher, Miss Estelle L. Frommeyer, Master Edmond E. Power, Miss E. Ruth Hamilton, Master Bernard J. Stock.

Certificate for business practice is awarded to Master Francis E. Miller.

Certificates for proficiency in rapid business writing issued by Professor A. N. Palmer of Cedar Rapids, Ia., awarded to Master Bernard J. Stock, Master Francis E. Miller, Miss E. Ruth Hamilton, Miss Estelle L. Frommeyer, Miss Ivy Strasbaugh, Miss Myrtle Culp, Miss Ellen Thomas, Miss Anna Eckhardt.

Premiums for highest averages in examination, Master Francis E. Miller, Master Maurice Bushman, Miss Florence Redding, Master Simon Stock, Miss Ruth Waiters, Miss Rose Thomas, Miss Nora Hardigan, Miss Edith Culm, Master William Zinkand, Miss Genevieve Power, Miss Mary Miller, Master Norman Irvin, Master Leo Culp, Miss Grace King, Miss Regina Breighner.

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# THE AWFUL FRIGHT OF WAR THAT OVERSHADOWED IN TERROR ACTUAL EXPERIENCES

Two Weeks from Breaking Out of War Gettysburg Had a Fright Vivid Memories of Which Remain

As the anniversary of the Battle of Gettysburg draws near it is to be noted that the year 1861 brings a repetition of the days of the week in exactly the same order as in 1861. Gen. Early visited Gettysburg with his Confederate troops on the way to York on Friday, June 26th, and Friday of this week is June 26th and the three days of the battle July 1, 2, and 3 were on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday as they will come next week.

If any of our citizens who passed through these days should be asked were they not days of terror, the chances are that the answer would be those days did not begin to bring the terror that another day during the war brought the town. When the terrors of war are mentioned, the condition is more associated with a day in Gettysburg before the war really got underway, and the actual experiences of battle days did not leave the sharp memories of terror as did that previous day. The following is a description of that day of terror, or rather night of terror, under title:

The happenings of the ten days that preceded April 22, 1861, alone make intelligible this unrecorded First Battle of Gettysburg, the memory of which has almost been lost in oblivion by the side of the immortal memories of the great Battle of Gettysburg of July 1, 2 and 3, 1863.

From the cannon's mouth belched the first shot on Fort Sumter April 12, 1861, bringing the North and South to the issue—cruel Civil War. On April 15, the immortal Lincoln sent out his call for seventy-five thousand three months men. Gettysburg and the vicinity arose with the nation in response to the call. Her sons were represented in those thirteen thousand men, that Pennsylvania threw into the field first, with a single exception, as her quota of troops asked for, and that within a week of the call.

The 15th, 16th, 17th and 18th of April 1861, were days of suppressed expectancy, full of bustle and business, preparation for impending war. April 19th followed with its startling news. The nation was electrified with the account of a riot in Baltimore. A Massachusetts Regiment was fired upon and stoned in Pratt street. The rising storm was a hurricane. People trembled at thought of what was to follow.

Gettysburg was going through an experience that had become an every day affair throughout the land. The Independent Blues, an infantry company, were almost ready to leave. The ladies of the town of the strong war element had furthered all their plans. When the liberty pole was in place in the public square of the town, the ladies had the Stars and Stripes ready to fling to the breezes from its point. What a stirring recollection that is of Saturday, April 20th, when around this liberty pole gathered these soldier boys of '61 and while the rustling flag streams over them, with uplifted hands and bared heads they swear allegiance to the Constitution of the United States and of Pennsylvania. On Sunday, April 21st, in the afternoon, an impressive union prayer service was held in one of the churches of the town for the volunteers soon to leave.

At 7.40 on the morning of April 22, the train slowly drew out of the Gettysburg depot, carrying these volunteers away to York, then to Harrisburg to be equipped and armed. The train left amid the roar of cannon and the cheers of a large concourse of people.

On Saturday, April 20th, a cavalry troop of U. S. Texas Regulars rode through the town. They had been called in from the frontiers and were enroute from Harrisburg to Washington. This troop encamped several miles south of the town. It must be recorded that early on Monday they too "gathered their tents like the Arabs and silently stole away."

Realizing the unprotected situation, it seemed fit to great many of the citizens to organize some movement toward establishing a Home Guard. For that purpose a mass meeting was called for Monday evening, April 22, 1861. The meeting was opened in the Court House by calling Hon. David Ziegler to the chair. Mr. David A. Buehler, after a short and patriotic address setting forth the purposes of the assembling, moved the appointment of a Committee of Safety to be composed of thirteen members. The motion being carried, the President proceeded to choose the committee.

This same evening two men in great excitement left Hanover, a town fourteen miles away, on a hand car on the railroad leading to Gettysburg. The night was bright and moonlight. Gettysburg being reached the two men made their way to the Court House. Their arrival was announced as they burst through the doors with the cry "The Rebels are burning Hanover and will be on to Gettysburg before morning." About the same time a horseman, coatless and hatless, entered the town from the east and dashed up York street shouting, "The rebels are coming."

Nothing could be obtained from the two men in that five hundred men had been gathered together as they stated. The two Baltimore had said nothing, but were with a short and pointed history which was to be the result of that they would be on to Gettysburg before morning. The two men had said and be dispersed.

It was to the Compiler office in the morning that the citizens of the town came to inquire if there was any truth in the report of the rebels. The Compiler had no information, but did not know the source of the report. The Associated Councils of Central Pennsylvania had organized themselves out of the doors of the Court House and on the second floor of the

and a general alarm proclaimed. At most every house added its inmates to the people on the street. A large portion of the negro population in Gettysburg picked up some old, some a pillow, others blankets, anything that they could place their hands upon of their meagre household stores, and were off—anywhere to the north, to the woods. Some of the maid white followed the example of their darker brethren. The streets of the town became the scenes of the wildest confusion, alarm and consternation.

A search for arms and ammunition was at once begun. The sieving discovery was made that the hardware stores had no ammunition in stock, no powder and shot, their supply having been very recently exhausted. This added a hundred fold to the excitement.

Meanwhile the Committee of Safety had assumed charge of affairs. Taking possession of the arms in Blues Armory, they appointed and organized a night guard to whom were entrusted these arms. Patrols were stationed at the entrance of every street and alley leading into the town and throughout the place.

The password chosen was "Scott," and thereby hangs a tale. In the uncertain light of the moon, a dark object, presumably a human, approached one of the patrols who nervously cried out in challenge, "Halt and give the countersign." No answer being received, the guard in alarm called "Say Scotty or I'll shoot!"

The Committee of Safety dispatched riders and messengers with the news to all the neighboring towns, villages and hamlets for the purpose of obtaining powder, shot, bullets, arms, and aid of any kind.

The inhabitants of Gettysburg began to arm themselves in the most curious and extraordinary way that could be imagined. Every gun, musket, rifle, old flint lock, pistol and revolver was called into requisition. The fortunate possessors of arms loaned their less fortunate neighbors such arms as could be spared. It is related that one who was the happy possessor of an enormous horse pistol of ancient pattern, suggested as an exfoliation of war that it should be mounted on wheels and used as a howitzer. History fails to record the effect of this brilliant suggestion. Notwithstanding the existence of these arms, the pitiful truth of their uselessness without ammunition made the situation one of utmost despair.

The many without firearms of any kind, including the women and children, armed themselves with stones, scythes, hoes, shovels, pitch forks, hatchets, axes, clubs, anything and everything that they could put their hands upon. One was known to have pulled up the previous year's crop of bean poles for weapons. Another proposed that as the whole body of the enemy would attack his home and in single file attempt to enter he would be ready to sever each man's head with a double edged axe. The foe would thus accommodately allow itself to be ambushed and exterminated. Many women made fresh fires, heating water to scalding point, prepared from the upper windows to give the intruders a hot reception. As motley a collection of arms as were ever heard of became the fondled and precious weapons of the people and over each was crooned an invocation to the protection of the town and its homes.

As the night advanced the faint tap of the drum mingled with the shrill cry of the fife was heard. It was not the enemy. It was as though the eternal city had been imperiled and the Romans to a man arose to protect her, so did the country round about respond, each village and hamlet with their quota of volunteers, pouring into Gettysburg, the county seat, to her protection, to the strains of martial music. The messengers returned with all the ammunition that could be obtained. The town was preparing for a state of siege. No one thought of sleep.

But what of the foe? A locomotive was fired up, put in charge of two men and sent toward Hanover on a scouting expedition. Sometime between midnight and morning, the rumbling of wheels on the track announced the return of the engine from its reconnoitering trip. As the locomotive came to a stop in the town, it was immediately surrounded by a large number of anxious people. The intelligence brought was that the Rebels existed only in imagination, that previous reports were false.

A sigh of relief passed through the town, yet while some believed many were incredulous and not until dawn of day did the fear of invasion gradually vanish.

The First Battle of Gettysburg was a cruel canard, one which had no other known origin than that of growing out of the feverish state prevailing throughout the nation those first days of the war. A canard that was not local to Gettysburg, but at different times was fed by York, Hanover, Carlisle, Hagerstown and many other smaller towns of the border land. A canard.

"Tis true, 'tis pity and pity 'tis, 'tis true."

## ROYAL ARCANUM IN TOWN.

### Associated Councils of Central Pennsylvania Hold Session.

The Associated Councils of the Royal Arcanum of Central Pennsylvania is holding a quarterly meeting in Gettysburg on Tuesday, June 23rd. The gathering has a two-fold significance. It is not only the date of the regular quarterly meeting but it is the date of the thirty-first anniversary of the founding of Royal Arcanum and preparations have been going on for some time to properly observe the day.

The Associated Councils of Central Pennsylvania, and of this order come from twelve counties, Lancaster, Lebanon, Lancaster, Perry, Cumberland, Franklin, Fulton, York, Huntingdon, Juniata, Mifflin and Adams and represent twenty-five councils in the counties with a membership of nearly three thousand.

The organization of the Associated Councils was only effected last No-

## ONE WEAK SPOT

### Most Gettysburg People have a Weak Part And Too Often It's The Back.

Everyone has a weak spot. Too often it's a bad back. Twinges follow every sudden twist. Dull aching keeps up, day and night. Tells you the kidneys need help. For backache is really kidney-ache. A kidney cure is what you need. Doan's Kidney Pills cure sick kidneys...

Cure backache and all urinary ills. Gettysburg people recommend the remedy.

Mrs. H. H. Ridinger, living at 25 Breckenridge St., Gettysburg, Pa., says: "Doan's Kidney Pills are by far means a new remedy in my family as both my husband and myself have used them with excellent results. Mr. Ridinger is forced to do a great deal of heavy lifting and at times this weakens his kidneys and causes him much suffering from pains in his back and loins. A few doses of Doan's Kidney pills always banish the attack. Recently I suffered from a constant backache and other symptoms of kidney trouble. I at once went to The Peoples Drug Store, procured a box of Doan's Kidney Pills and it only required a few doses to relieve the trouble. I am today without a sign of kidney complaint and give Doan's Kidney Pills the credit."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

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We are glad to state that our new storage house is proving a success. Our plan for storing household goods is just the same as in the cities.

**We Charge For Space**

Each lot of goods is in separate compartments.

**We will take Your Goods for any length of Time**

If you are leaving town we will pack goods and send them to you. You will find our terms are reasonable.

**Chas. S. Mumper Furniture Dealer**

**Gettysburg, Pa.**

**WM. N. MILLER**

**Marble Works**

**25 East Middle Street**

Fine lot of Finished Work on hand, will be sold at most reasonable prices. Good opportunity to secure Memorials in granite or marble. Call on

**Mrs. Wm. N. Miller**

157 Carlisle St., Gettysburg.

**SHERIFF'S SALE.**

IN pursuance of a writ of fierias issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Adams County, and to me directed, will be exposed to public sale on SATURDAY, the 27th day of JUNE, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, at the Court House in the borough of Gettysburg, Adams County, Pa., the following real estate, viz:

A LOT OF GROUND situated in the First Ward in the Borough of Gettysburg, Adams County, Pa., at the intersection of York and Hanover streets, beginning at a post at the intersection of said streets, thence by York street north sixty-one degrees east two hundred and thirty-nine feet; thence south twenty-eight and one-half degrees east seventy-four feet and three inches, thence south five and one-half degrees west forty-eight degrees east two hundred and thirty-nine feet to the place of beginning. Seized and taken into execution as the property of Mrs. MARY E. MILLER, and to be sold by me.

GEO. L. COLESTOCK, Sheriff.

Ten per cent. of the purchase money upon all sales, the sheriff will be paid over immediately after the property is struck down or upon failure to comply therewith, the property will be put again for sale.

Sheriff's Office, Gettysburg, Pa., May 29, 1908.

**ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE**

ESTATE OF ANDREW J. LOCHBAUM, deceased. After a full administration of the estate of Andrew J. Lochbaum, late of Hanover, Adams County, Pa., dec'd, having been granted to the undersigned, he hereby gives notice to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment and those having claims to present them properly authenticated for settlement.

A. M. LOCHBAUM, Orrtanna, Pa., Administrator.

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Chas. B. Stouffer, D. D. S.

DENTIST, GETTYSBURG, PA.

OFFICE second-floor of Star and Sentinel Building

May 3, 1908. 15

John D. Keib.

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Office Masonic Building, Centre Square.

S. S. Neely.

ATTORNEY AT LAW, GETTYSBURG, PA.

Office in Star and Sentinel Building, second floor, Baltimore street, over Cash Store.

Oct. 8, 1908.

C. W. Stoner.

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, GETTYSBURG, PA.

Office in Masonic Building, Centre Square.

Oct. 25, 1908.

Charles E. Stable.

ATTORNEY AT LAW, GETTYSBURG, PA.

Office on Baltimore street, next door to the Compiler Building. All legal business attended to.

Oct. 25, 1908.

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**ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE**

ASSIGNED ESTATE OF JACOB SPRECKLE, of West Manchester township, York county, Pa.—Notice is hereby given to all creditors of the above named Jacob Spreckle to make proof of their claims and file the same with the undersigned Assignee, within six months from the date of this notice, in the manner set forth by the Act of Assembly of June 4th, 1901, or be debarred from claiming in upon the fund of said assigned estate.

April 24, 1902

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## OLD BLIND TOM DEAD

### THE MUSICAL PRODIGY PARALYZED AT THE PIANO

Appeared in Gettysburg on Several Occasions Always a Favorite with Audiences.

Three weeks ago, as Blind Tom sat before his piano in the home of Mrs. Eliza B. Lerche, the widow of the old master, at 60 Twelfth street, Hoboken, N. J., singing the old melodies with which he had thrilled great audiences before the Civil War, he suddenly stopped and fell face downward on the floor. Mrs. Lerche, who has cared for him for more than 20 years, ran into the room and, helping him up, found that his whole upper right side was paralyzed.

But Tom could not understand that he was different, and soon went back to his piano. When he found that his right hand could not strike the keys he said, with his voice quavering: "Tom's fingers won't play."

Again and again he tried. Finally, when he realized it was useless his big blind eyes filled with tears and he wept like a child. Each day he returned to the piano and with his left hand started some favorite piece. Discords came quickly, however, and then, with tear-moistened cheeks, he would rise and pace the floor until late into the night. His old mistress sought to comfort him, but he would only sob out:

"Tom's fingers won't play no more."

Last week Blind Tom died at the home of Mrs. Eliza Lerche, with whom he had been living in Hoboken. Mrs. Lerche is the widow of John G. Bethune, son of General Bethune. After the death of her husband, who had been the blind man's legal guardian and manager, she succeeded to his immensely valuable guardianship of the blind musician, after a long fight with her father-in-law in the courts.

In early childhood he imitated the cries of farm animals, the call of birds and the sound of the wind and rain for the amusement of the household. By night he would steal into the house of his master to imitate in undertones on the piano the pieces he had heard others play during the day. He was destitute of invention, but marvelously imitative. During his public appearances he frequently played one melody with his right hand and another with his left, singing or whistling a third, as frequently the classic compositions of Bach, Chopin and Mendelssohn as "Yankee Doodle," "Sailor's Hornpipe" or other pieces of that class. On occasions he played pieces with his back turned to the piano. He could imitate the sound of other musical instruments and deliver connected addresses in foreign languages without understanding a word he uttered.

The eccentricities of "Blind Tom" on the stage pleased audiences as much as his playing. He always referred to himself in the third person, and would announce his pieces by saying, "Tom will now play a beautiful piece he heard recently." He frequently jumped about wildly and started the applause himself when he finished a number.

His mother, Aunt Charity, died in Birmingham, Ala., on November 28, 1902, at the reputed age of 105. She had spent a few years in comfort in New York with the musician, but never was really comfortable here, and finally went back to the South.

"Blind Tom" had a great fondness for watermelons and could always be induced to play for anyone who offered him a piece of the dainty. His money affairs were in the hands of the Bethunes, and no accounting of his earnings was made for some time. Several suits were brought against Mrs. Lerche, but nothing definite ever came of them.

Just how old he was is unknown. Stories vary, but he was born probably between 1849 and 1853 on a plantation near Columbus, Ga., where his parents lived as the slaves of Gen. James N. Bethune. He made his first appearance in New York in 1861, played in the Empire Theatre, London, in 1867, and in California in 1875. His last work in public was at the Circle Theatre, New York, in 1904, when he amazed many who believed he was dead by repeating the feats of his earlier years.

The fear of death was strong in Blind Tom in his later years. If he felt the wind blowing against him, he would exclaim: "Tom's in a draft. He may catch cold and die. Won't it be terrible?" But he was spared the agony of the fear of surely approaching death, the stroke of apoplexy striking him unconscious, and the end following in very short time.

When Colonel Bethune bought Charity Wiggins she had in her arms a pockmarked, blind, feeble, and not considered valuable as a slave asset. So Tom was "thrown in" by his master's former master. He was a very small boy when he discovered that for the loss of his sight and the blight upon his mind his Creator had endowed him with a gift so strange and yet so productive of happiness to him that he has, in a way, been a living subject for marvel during the last half century.

The boy began by repeating words that he heard about him, mimicking everyone and trying to imitate all sounds that fell on his ear. When he first heard a piano played every note of the music was stamped in his mind, and, groping to the instrument, he found that he could reproduce the music he had heard.

With the instrument he could imitate the tinkling of water in a fountain, the fall of rain, and the noise of the storm. His own composition, which gave him the most delight, he

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## ANDERSONVILLE DEDICATION.

Hall Dedicated—Gettysburg Couch Placed in the Hall.

In 1905 a movement to erect a Pavilion at Andersonville, Ga., for the comfort and protection from rain of those who on Memorial Day strew flowers above the graves of the 13,710 that lie in the National Cemetery was started, and committee appointed of whom Mrs. S. L. Brown of Fitzgerald, Ga. was chairman.

Circulars were issued and sent forth to all Circles of the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic, asking hearty cooperation in the movement.

With aid received a building costing \$1400 was erected, built of artificial stone and tiled floor, fireproof in general; being placed 75 feet from the main entrance of gate to the National Cemetery.

To complete inside accommodations another call was made in 1907 at Saratoga, N. Y., during the National Convention. Our National President in general orders issued a two cent plea from every member of the Circles in the United States, which would cover all necessary expenses. In the Gettysburg Home Circle was raised \$2.25 which was sent to our National Treasurer for this purpose. From this and letters received from Mrs. S. L. Brown came the desire to furnish a couch. Through the aid of friends, I was able to purchase one at the cost of \$17 with additional freight of \$2.30 and a brass band on which was engraved the word "Gettysburg" being placed on the side of couch. It reached Andersonville May 1st. Capt. William Bryant care taker of National Cemetery taking charge of it. Extract from letter of Capt. Bryant—"Our own team was at the depot and hauled it to the cemetery, Mr. Turner and I unpacked and placed it in the building. It is a very handsome couch and would tempt one to take a nap when not necessary."

In a letter of June 12, I received a program of the "Memorial Day Exercises," from Mrs. S. L. Brown of Fitzgerald, Ga., a portion of letter reading—"Our building at Andersonville is very nice, everybody seemed greatly pleased and took solid comfort in it. The couch is beautiful, and husband presented it to the comrades of the G. A. R. to be used in the building, requesting that it be always known as the "Gettysburg Couch". The Memorial Exercises all passed off in fine shape, and was the largest excursion ever going from Fitzgerald, the number of coaches being 14 well filled. We carried over 60 half bushel baskets of flowers, beautiful flowers they were too. I found your brother's grave, placed a bunch of roses on it for you. I want to thank you again in the name of the comrades for the couch. It will be a great comfort if any of them should fall ill or give out by the way up there."

"Up there," may need an explanation. A colony of veterans are settled in Fitzgerald, Ga., some 79 miles south of Andersonville, and to these old soldiers falls the duty of strewing flowers on Memorial Day over the graves of loved ones in their far off resting place.

The following was full program of the Memorial Services at Andersonville in 1905:

### Memorial Services.

Decoration of the graves of our fallen heroes under the direction of the Officers of the Day and Ladies of the Circle.

Grand Army Salute to the Flag by Post 17 and 14.

Prayer by the Chaplain of Post 17, W

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Gettysburg, Pa., Wednesday, June 24, 1908

## DEMOCRATIC STATE TICKET.

SUPREME COURT JUSTICE  
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Menallen.COUNTY AUDITORS  
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## COUNTY'S SOUND BANKS.

Adams county is certainly to be congratulated upon her financial institutions. They are being carefully and conservatively managed, enjoying and entitled to the confidence of the people and this is the relation that must be preserved so that the full benefit of these public institutions can be reaped.

A bank is not a private enterprise but a public institution carrying for the financial interests and development of their respective communities. The bank that looks solely to the interests of the stockholders has arrived at a dangerous point. The patron who looks upon his money in the bank as a personal asset to be removed at pleasure is a dangerous individual. The banks of this county passed through the stringency of last fall without disturbing the financial situation in the least, though they necessarily felt the condition of the outside world. In a county not over a hundred miles away, during the same period the President of a bank called in half the loans of his institution, distressing the people who had supported his institution, and piled up the money in his vaults for the black days he imagined ahead. He destroyed the very confidence of the people which it was his duty as a public servant to conserve. The result today is that that banker is looked upon as a danger and menace to his community.

The banks of Adams county are even in number with a twelfth at most in sight—the First National Bank of Littlestown—and they present a truly remarkable financial development, showing a devotedness to the public trust shown upon them, to round figures the story reads something like this: The eleven banks are doing today a business of almost five million dollars. More than half of the sum upon which the business of the bank is partly done has been loaned to them by the people on special certificates of deposit. The surplus funds are fast reaching up to the amount of capital stock. That surely is a healthy wholesome condition for both banks and the people.

We have compiled the figures from the last statements of the institutions made a few weeks ago and suggest that our people study them to better appreciate what the institutions are doing.

## THE MARKETS.

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Per Bu.  
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Rye . . . . . 65  
Oats . . . . . 55

Per Bbl.  
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Western oats . . . . . 65.60

Corn . . . . . 85

Wheat . . . . . \$1.00

Baled shavings . . . . . 35c. per bale

PRODUCE AT WHOLESALE.

Bacon firm, good demand, 18 cts. in eggs, market firm, 15 cts.; live hens, market firm, caives 5c.

PRODUCE AT RETAIL.

Eggs, 17 cts. per doz.  
Hens, 22 cts. per lb.

Nasal and other local forms of catarrh are relieved by Catarrax, which also relieves inflammation and deodorizes discharge. Price 10c.

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and what the obligations of each to the other are.

The institutions are arranged in time according to the size of their wads and are referred to by name of town instead of full legal name.

TOTAL BUSINESS.

Gettysburg Nat. Bank, \$1,314,181.05

1st Nat. Bank of Gettysburg, 1,267,159.47

Citizens' Trust Co. of Gettysburg, 573,593.14

Littlestown Bank, 384,317.01

New Oxford Bank, 360,965.45

East Berlin Bank, 296,535.69

York Springs Bank, 225,885.82

Biglerville Bank, 180,384.20

McSherrystown Bank, 172,080.50

Bendersville Bank, 33,382.54

Arendtsville Bank, 25,000.00

Total . . . . . \$4,833,464.91

Loan by public upon certificates of deposit, bearing interest:

1st Nat. Bank of Gettysburg, \$738,220.16

Gettysburg Nat. Bank, 693,205.84

Citizens' Trust Co. of Gettysburg, 299,158.76

Littlestown Bank, 255,275.10

New Oxford Bank, 215,336.39

East Berlin Bank, 199,989.05

York Springs Bank, 138,099.00

McSherrystown Bank, 67,279.88

Biglerville Bank, 62,932.49

Bendersville Bank, 4,372.00

Total loaned by people to banks . . . . . \$2,713,127.67

CAPITAL STOCK.

Gettysburg Nat. Bank, \$145,150

Citizens' Trust Co. of Gettysburg, 125,000

1st Nat. Bank of Gettysburg, 190,000

New Oxford Bank, 50,000

Ligerville Bank, 50,000

McSherrystown Bank, 50,000

Littlestown Bank, 25,000

East Berlin Bank, 25,000

York Springs Bank, 25,000

Lendersville Bank, 25,000

Arendtsville Bank, 25,000

Total capital stock . . . . . \$545,150

Worth over a million dollars.

SURPLUS.

1st Nat. Bank of Gettysburg, \$150,000

Gettysburg Nat. Bank, 109,000

Citizens' Trust Co. of Gettysburg, 45,000

New Oxford Bank, 35,000

Littlestown Bank, 25,000

East Berlin Bank, 18,000

McSherrystown Bank, 10,000

York Springs Bank, 9,000

Biglerville Bank, 11,500

Undivided profits amounted to nearly . . . . . \$100,000

Reunion of 5th Pa. Reserves.

The 29th annual reunion of the Fifth Pennsylvania Reserves will be held at Gettysburg on Thursday and Friday of next week, July 2 and 3. The Court House has been secured for the business meeting on the morning of July 3rd, the 2nd will be devoted to visiting the field. Wm. Hays Grier of Columbia, Secretary of the Fifth Pa. Reserves Association, urges all his comrades to be present, saying, "This will be a splendid opportunity for all of the comrades to visit the battlefield of Gettysburg, probably for the last time, at least to many. We are fast traveling toward the last roll call. Strain a point to make this visit." A warm welcome always awaits the return of the veteran to Gettysburg.

W. C. T. U. Convention.

The 22nd Annual Convention of the Women's Christian Temperance Union of Adams Co. will be held in the Methodist Church, Gettysburg, Wednesday of this week, opening at 10:30 a.m. Afternoon session 2 o'clock. A union meeting of all the congregations of town in St. James Lutheran church in the evening at 7 o'clock to be addressed by Mrs. S. B. Norrish, State Sez.

A cordial welcome is extended to all these meetings.

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Per 100

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Middlings . . . . . \$1.60

Timothy hay . . . . . 90

Rye chop . . . . . \$1.70

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## PERSONAL MENTION

—Rev. R. D. Clare of York and his brother Mijo Clare of the present Senior class of Gettysburg College, started last week on a 125 mile tramp through the North Mountains, Monroe Co.

Mrs. C. Wm. Beales and sons visited Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Dearborn of York Springs, last week.

—Prof. and Mrs. E. S. Breidenbaugh recently visited Rev. and Mrs. Burritt of York.

—Merkel H. Jacobs, son of Judge and Mrs. M. W. Jacobs of Harrisburg, received degree of Ph.D. from University of Pennsylvania last week.

—Mrs. Annie Faye and son, after a visit to her mother, Mrs. Thaddeus Welty, started on Monday for her home in Denver, Colorado.

—Mrs. John Brehm spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Greenawalt, of Franklin county.

—Arthur Cashman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Z. H. Cashman of New Oxford, recently graduated from Pierce Business College of Philadelphia and has a position with the Whittall Tatum Co. of the same city.

—Miss Catherine E. Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thaddeus Smith of McSherrystown, has been elected organist of St. Joseph's Catholic church of Hanover.

—Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Settle of McKnightstown, have returned from a visit to their son, Mr. and Mrs. Emory D. Settle of New Durham, New Jersey.

—George J. Kebil of Fairfield, went trout fishing the other day and came home with twenty-eight of the gamey fellows and says he caught them all himself.

—There will be a congregational meeting at the Great Conowago Presbyterian Church at Hunterstown on Sunday morning, July 5th, for the purpose of electing a pastor.

—Miss Elizabeth R. Weaver, after an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. Carlton H. Strang of New Castle has returned to her home in this place.

—Mrs. Albert Z. Rogers and daughter are visiting friends in Baltimore.

—Children's Day services were held in the Methodist Church Sunday morning. In connection with the exercises there were 21 persons received into membership in the church.

—Mrs. Carlton H. Strang and sons, Ernest W. and Carlton H., Jr., of New Castle will spend the summer at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. J. Weaver.

—Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Cook of Baltimore were recent visitors to friends here.

—Emmor Rice, now of McKeesport spent a short time here with friends last week.

—E. C. Taylor, wife and son of Bendersville visited their son George and family recently.

—Misses Ivy Tawney and Reba Miller visited Rev. and Mrs. Norman Wolf at their home in Shrewsbury.

—Miss Collingwood and brother have returned to Pittsburgh after a visit with Dr. and Mrs. J. R. Dickson.

—Miss Mary Dutter is visiting in Thurmont and Frederick.

—W. H. Wiernau and family will occupy the house on York street vacated by J. Emory Bair and family.

—The Misses Crapster of Taneytown were recent guests of Miss Ella Gilliland.

—Mrs. Ed. Faber spent several days last week in Washington, D. C.

—Mrs. Clifford Cianey of Pittsburgh visited relatives here last week.

—Rev. J. F. Kuhlmau returned to his home in Goodland, Kan., after a visit here with Dr. and Mrs. Luther Kuhlmau.

—Miss Olive Kitzmiller of Philadelphia visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Kitzmiller last week.

—Miss Amanda Tawney is home for her summer vacation.

—Wilbur E. Gordou, the little son of Chief of Police and Mrs. Gordon tell while playing last Wednesday and broke both bones in his right arm between wrist and elbow, one of the bones protruding. Dr. H. M. Hartman was called and fixed up the little fellow, who is getting along nicely.

—The alumni of St. Francis Xavier School held their annual banquet last Wednesday evening in Xavier Hall.

—Col. and Mrs. J. P. Nicholson and daughter are occupying Mrs. Ella Wolf's house on Springs avenue.

—Miss Jennie Redding is home from a visit in McSherrystown.

—Master Harold Mumper, only child of Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Mumper had the misfortune to break his collar bone. Dr. Henry Stewart was called and the fracture is mending.

—Sergeant Dills Slack, now of the Soldiers' Home, Kearny, N. J., a survivor of the Wheatfield struggle, in the battle of Gettysburg, as Sergt. of Co. K. 3rd N. J. revisited the scene

last week. He and his niece from Doylestown, Pa., were guests of the Pitzer House.

—Chas. H. Wehler, son of Jacob M. Wehler of Hanover, formerly of New Oxford, won the Hanover High School scholarship to Ursinus College.

—Amelia Cremer, the four year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Cremer of Hanover, has been taken to the University of Pennsylvania Hospital in Philadelphia for treatment for hip trouble.

—Mrs. A. Danner Buehler and niece, Mary Jane Seylar, spent Tuesday in Harrisburg.

—Miss Myrtle Bream is visiting friends in Salto.

—J. A. Bick, S. J. of Woodstock College, Md. was the guest of Simon A. Frommeyer over Sunday.

—Mrs. J. W. Frommeyer and daughter Miss Marguerite spent last week at the home of Mrs. Frank Frommeyer.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Althoff spent Sunday with their son Edward Althoff and family in Littlestown.

**Mad Anthony Wayne's Statue.**

The commission composed of Col. John P. Nicholson, chairman, Richard M. Caldwell and John A. Herman for the erection of the equestrian statue of Major General Anthony Wayne at the Valley Forge Camp Ground, Pa., having completed their labors, the statue was unveiled last Saturday. Thousands of persons from Philadelphia, Norristown, and Phoenixville were present. We are indebted to Col. Nicholson for an invitation and regret our inability to be present.

After music by the Phoenix Military Band, and Miss Lydia Bush-Brown, daughter of the sculptor, had pulled the string unfurling the flag which veiled the handsome statue, and after a battery salute and a salute to the statue with the Revolutionary colors by the Color Guard of the Pa. Society Sons of the Revolution, came the speech making.

J. A. Herman, Esq., of the commission, made the transfer of the statue to Thomas J. Stewart, Adjutant General, representing the Governor of the Commonwealth.

General Stewart in accepting the statue paid the following beautiful tribute:

Here is the altar where we kneel and this shall be the Mecca toward which the hearts shall turn as long as men love liberty and patriotism, as Valley Forge will live forever in the hearts of mankind everywhere. Here today are men and women, descendants of those men who suffered here, watching and waiting through cold and storm, and only saw relief with the springtime of the spring flowers, which was to them as a resurrection from the tyranny and oppression of privation and suffering. Round about us are the church yards where rest the men who died here.

We are here today to pay tribute of admiration to all those patriots who suffered and toiled with Wayne, and we send the message along the starlit lines and spirit camps that we have been faithful to the trust which they fought for and handed down through the generations to us, and for every one of the thirteen stars that they had in their flag of the Union we have added nearly four.

This tribute in bronze and stone which is placed today will last forever. The purple shade of the sunset glow will rest lovingly upon it; the storms will recall revile and battle; the dust of time will not injure, but rather reverie it. If Liberty's bugle were to sound now, what a matchless host would rise upon these hills! At its head would be General Washington, who asked the Lord of Hosts to confound his enemies; followed by Muhlenberg and all the rest; and following in the rear would be the forms of the heroes who led up to Appomattox. Within the gates of Pennsylvania are the cradle of Liberty, and the Calvary of Devotion and Suffering. I believe that this statue will inspire sons and daughters to feel the mighty uplift of Wayne's example and his devotion to patriotism.

Ex-Governor Samuel W. Pennypacker delivered the oration and after the sculptor, H. K. Bush Brown had been introduced and more music the exercises were brought to a close with the benediction.

**McSherrystown Commencement.**

The commencement exercises of St. Joseph's Academy, McSherrystown, were held on Tuesday evening of last week before a large audience in the Academy building. An interesting program of music and drills was most effectively rendered. Rev. Wm. O'Callaghan, assistant rector of St. Mary's Church, McSherrystown, made the address to the graduates and students. The exercises closed with the awarding of honors, certificates and medals.

**Moving Big Brick Building.**

Alfred A. Kress of Pittsburg, with force of eight men from Kress House Moving Co., arrived in McSherrystown last week where they started Thursday morning to remove St. Joseph's Academy building 100 ft. to the rear of the present site. The building, 65 by 85 feet in dimensions, three story brick, will be removed intact.

Mr. Kress stated that it would require about three weeks to complete the job. The building will be braced ready for the rolling by next week, when the large brick structure will be moved on a "plank railway," at the rate of 15 feet per day. Great interest is being taken in this feat of modern engineering and a number of people are watching the proceedings each day.

The old convent building adjoining is also being dismantled, ready for raising. A new structure will be erected alongside the Academy building as soon as it is safely placed on the new foundation.

**Conowago Commencement.**

On Sunday afternoon, June 14, commencement exercises were held in the hall at the chapel with an interesting program of songs, music, recitations and drills, closing with "The Coronation Drama." There are about 200 pupils taught by six sisters in three schools, one at the Chapel, one at Irifontown, and one at Mt. Rock. The entertainment was highly creditable to all who had a part in them.

**Directors for New Bank Chosen.**

At a meeting of those interested in the new bank to be started in Littlestown the following were formally elected as directors: George S. Kump, S. D. Mehring, A. G. Knagy, C. P. Geiter, D. E. Butler, Alex. H. Retter, and J. A. Shorb. The amount of stock \$25,000, necessary to secure a charter, has been subscribed, and charter has been applied for. The bank will be known as the First National Bank of Littlestown.

**Presbyterian Pen-Mar Reunion.**

The Presbyterian reunion at Penn Mar will be held this year on Thursday, July 10th.

Heretofore the Presbyterian reunion has been the first of the three principal church reunions but this summer a change is made and it will be the last one held. Farmers are generally busy with their harvests in the early part of July and this interferes with their attendance at the reunion. So the change has been made, in order that as many members of the church as possible can join their brethren in this annual gathering.

The committee on arrangements has completed part of the program for the day.

The Rev. W. H. Roberts, D.D., of Philadelphia, moderator of the General Assembly, has been invited to deliver one of the addresses and it is expected that he will accept. He is a man of much force as an orator and, in addition, occupies the highest official position in the church.

**S. S. Convention.**

The Fourth Sunday School District, composed of Boroughs of New Oxford, East Berlin and Abbottstown and the townships in the eastern end of the county, held a convention at East Berlin on last Thursday afternoon and evening. The sessions were held in the Reformed Church. Addresses at afternoon and evening sessions were made by Revs. W. W. Hartman of this place, Rev. Gen. N. Laufer of New Oxford and Rev. W. A. Korn. There was a very large attendance in the evening.

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**Farm Produce Swindle.**

An alleged produce swindle came to light last week in York and it is said that Adams county farmers have been caught and will lose a good many hundreds of dollars along with York County farmers who will lose thousands of dollars. A short time ago the United Butter and Egg Company began business in York sending out circular letters offering farmers in this section a few cents more for butter, eggs and poultry than the market price. The response compelled the Adams Express Company of that city to put into service extra drays to deliver the hundreds of crates. First shipments were paid for in cash and this enabled the concern to get extensive credit in return for the good prices promised.

When civil and criminal action was begun last week the officers found a large assortment of empty egg and butter crates, but were unable to locate whereabouts of the three sharpers who vanished when their crooked work could no longer be concealed. It is said that the produce owed for by the concern may run as high as \$15,000 and that the assets are next to nothing. It is said a Gettysburg shipper was caught for a good sum, also a New Oxford and Arendtsville shipper, and many individual farmers.

One of the strangest things about the human being is the ease with which he can be made to believe he is going to get something for nothing, get a present of a few cents more than the market price, which could not be done by any concern. The loss must be paid by some one and one hundred times out of a hundred it is not the concern but the other fellow who pays dear for his experience.

**Again Disabled.**

Geo. Staub, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Staub of Hamilton township, had the misfortune to have the spur of an oil can penetrate his foot to a considerable depth. From this wound he had recovered sufficiently to resume his work on the brick yard at Berlin Junction. He had been at work but a short while when the point of a pick of a fellow workman accidentally struck him on the same foot, making a bad wound which will again disable him for a time, and is causing him much pain.

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**Guard Preparation.**

Preparations are going on in many parts of the field to be occupied by the National Guard. Farmers are cutting hay crops and clearing the ground. Quartermaster's Headquarters have been erected with large store houses along the railroad. Tents and supplies are beginning to arrive. Some of the tents at Division Headquarters have been erected. Everything will be readied for the Guard when they arrive.

**WANTED INFORMATION REGARDING Farm or Business**

for sale. Not particular about location. Wish to hear from owner only who will sell direct to buyer. Give price, description and state when possession can be had. Address, L. DARBYSHIRE, Box 3999, Rochester, N. Y.

**PUBLIC SALE**

ON SATURDAY, JUNE 20th, 1908, the undersigned intending to quit housekeeping, will sell at public sale at his residence in Greentown, along the Ebensburg road, all her personal property consisting of the following: a good family HORSE, weighing 14 years old, with wicks, when harnessed, saddle, harness, features of steam, riding or motor, any child can drive him 1 freight, 1 heavy com., 2 two-horse, weigh about 150 or 175 lbs., 25 or 30 chickens, buggy good as new, only 14 or 15 short time, sick wags, 1 horse wagon and bed, good basket, new set of harness, only in use 12 months, set of breechbands, heavy set of 1-horse harness, sleigh bells, hitching rope, fly-net, riding bridle, lead rein, wagon saddle, collar and pad, 3 halters, 2 sets of buggy lines, single line, leg, lock, tie and cow chains, gate, ring, pitchforks, 12 ft. hay carriage, garden hook, 1-bar and mowing scythe, 10 ft. garden rake, horse scoop and other shapes, straw knife, shovel, pick, corn cutter, 1-horse plow, harrow, grinding stone, shaving horse, wood saw, axe, 5 ft. crosscut saw, maul and wedges, saw buck, digging iron, mattock, pick, stone sled, bushel baskets, half bushel, shoe lasts, grain bags, lawn mower good as new, only in use one season, clover seed sieve, adz, mail box, middle rings, 1-4 ton of hay, also Household Goods consisting of a new range, only 1 use 2 months, table, safe, rocking chair, chair cupboard, set of dishes, candlesticks, mirrors, high chair, ten-pint stove, meat safe, doghouse, wood box, bench, household articles, boxes, milk can, tub, buckets, iron cook, lot of home-made carpet and many other articles not herein mentioned. Sale to commence at 1 o'clock P. M., sharp, when terms will be made known by

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**MISS ANNA HOLLEBAUGH**

**REPORT.**

**ALL OVER THE COUNTY****ADAMS COUNTY PEOPLE IN FRIGHTFUL RUNAWAY.**

Presence of Mind Saves House From Destruction by Fire.

Harry Hartlamb of McSherrystown and Miss Mary Marshall of Irshiboro had rather miraculous escapes in a frightful runaway in Hanover last week. They were driving into Hanover when a part of the harness broke and horse started to kick. Mr. Hartlamb jumped from the buggy to catch hold of horse and was thrown to the street, the wheels of vehicle passing over him and was severely bruised. The animal tore up street and Miss Marshall attempting to jump was thrown to the ground and her face and right arm were badly cut and she was somewhat bruised. The team went at a break-neck pace to Center Square of Hanover and was halted by a collision with another team, wrecking the buggy.

Henry Hart of Table Rock reports that from 200 hens in the month of March, April and May he received 758 dozens of eggs, in March 218 dozens, in April 257 dozens and in May 253 dozens.

Miss Mary Smith by presence of mind saved her home in New Oxford from destruction by fire last week. She was in yard and going into the kitchen found something wrong with the gasoline stove, being all ablaze and oil cloth on fire. She first turned off the oil and then smothered the flames with a rug, her hand being burnt at her rescue work.

Charles Shank of near Biglerville has been busy harvesting his strawberry crop which he estimates will be the largest he has ever had, reaching about 4000 boxes.

Sometimes newspaper stories grow like a snowball as they pass around the circle of papers but sometimes it is only the misplacing of a little period mark that will make news, read one hundred fold larger. Recently there was found in an old stand drawer of the late Mrs. Susan Kuhn of near Cashtown \$200 but when the item got to the city papers the period had been advanced a cipher so that it looked as though a fortune had been found in that old stand drawer, \$2.00.

Dr. M. Thompson Dill, the well known dentist of Huntingdon, Pa., has moved and located in Tulsa, Oklahoma. He is a son of the late Dr. A. B. Dill of York Springs.

**No Need of Suffering from Rheumatism.**

It is a mistake to allow rheumatism to become chronic, as the pain can always be relieved, and in most cases a cure effected by applying Chamberlain's Pain Balm. The relief from pain which it affords is alone worth many times its cost. It makes sleep and rest possible. Even in cases of long standing this liniment should be used on account of the relief which it affords. 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by The Peoples Drug Store.

FREDERICK HEIGES of Biglerville proposes to erect a town hall for that borough, as the place has had no such convenience.

**Bucklin's Arnica Salve Wins.**

Tom Moore, of Rural Route 1, Cochran, Ga., writes: "I had a bad sore come on the instep of my foot and could find nothing that would heal it until I applied Bucklin's Arnica Salve. Less than half of a 25 cent box won the day for me by affecting a perfect cure." Sold under guarantee at Peoples Drug Store.

THE Citizens Band of Biglerville will furnish the music at the harvest home picnic of Cumberland County at Mt. Holly Park on August 13th.

**The Best Pills Ever Sold.**

"After doctoring 15 years for chronic indigestion, and spending over two hundred dollars, nothing has done me as much good as Dr. King's New Lite Pills. I consider them the best pills ever sold," writes B. F. Ayse, of Ingleside, N. C. Sold under guarantee at Peoples Drug Store.

BIGLERVILLE's churches are all undergoing repairs, none being in condition to be used for services.

**A Lesson in Health.**

Healthy kidneys filter the impurities from the blood, and unless they do this good health is impossible. Foley's Kidney Cure makes sound kidneys and will positively cure all forms of kidney and bladder disease. It strengthens the whole system. For sale by The Peoples Drug Store.

A number of improvements are being made in Biglerville in the shape of concrete pavements.

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**Excursions.**

Excursions booked on W. M. R. R. are as follows:

Monday, June 29, Baltimore to Gettysburg, Commonwealth Club (vol.)

Monday, July 13, Baltimore to Gettysburg, Silver Spring Social (vol.)

Wednesday, Sept. 9, P. R. R. tourist party.

Monday, October 5, B. & O. tourist party.

**Teachers' Examinations for 1908.**

The examination of applicants for schools in Adams county will be held as follows:

**For all Other Applicants.**

For Straban and Tyrone, at Huntersville, July 7.

For Huntington and Latimore, at York Springs, July 8.

For Cowenago Ind., Hamilton and Reading, at East Berlin, July 9.

For Berwick, Cowenago, Mt. Pleasant, Oxford and Union Independent, at New Oxford, July 10.

For Butler and Menallen, at Beddersville, July 11.

For Hamilton and Liberty, at Fairfield, July 13.

For Franklin, at Cashtown, July 14.

For Germany, Mt. Joy and Union, at Littlestown, July 16.

For Cumberland, Freedom and Highland, at Gettysburg, July 18.

Applicants will take the examination for the district in which they expect to teach.

The work will be oral and written. Come prepared to do work in ink.

Applicants unknown to the superintendent will be expected to present letters of recommendation.

**Teachers' Reading Course.**

Pestalozzi's Leonard and Gertrude, Hamilton's Recitation.

Blaisdell's Literature.

Burkett, Stevens and Hill's Agriculture.

The examinations will begin at 8:30 A. M.

All the examinations are open to the public. School directors are most cordially invited to be present.

THE Klinefelter barrel factory and Lawyer planing mill of Biglerville are almost finished and will soon be ready for operation.

DEWITT'S Little Early Risers, the famous little liver pills, are sold by People's Drug Store.

A FAT bull of Adam Louz of Mt. Pleasant township hung himself in the stable, the chain getting over the top of his head so that he was strangled to death.

**A Grand Family Medicine.**

"It gives me pleasure to speak a good word for Electric Bitters," writes Mr. Frank Conlan of No. 436 Houston St., New York. "It's a grand family medicine for dyspepsia and liver complications; while for lame back and weak kidneys it cannot be too highly recommended." Electric Bitters regulate the digestive functions, purify the blood, and impart renewed vigor and vitality to the weak and debilitated of both sexes. Sold under guarantee at The Peoples Drug Store, 50c.

ADAM KIMMEL is putting down concrete walks about his Round Hill property and painting the buildings.

**CASTORIA.**

Bears the Signature of *Chat H. Fletcher*.

HARRY SHANK of East Berlin while assisting in taking a large steer to market was bitten by the animal in attempting to get out of the way of a dog.

**Will Cure Consumption.**

A. A. Herren, Finch, Ark., writes: "Foley's Honey and Tar is the best preparation for coughs, colds and lung trouble. I know that it has cured consumption in the first stages." You never heard of any one using Foley's Honey and Tar and not being satisfied. Sold by The Peoples Drug Store.

WM. BUTT of East Berlin while wheeling a heavy load of stone while at work on the Reformed parsonage fell and sprained his left leg in such a way that he was unable to walk.

BABY won't suffer five minutes with you if you apply Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil at once. It acts like magic.

THE dam at Presser's mill in Latimore township had to be repaired a second time this summer, being broken by high water.

**Tonight.**

They would enjoy tomorrow take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Balsam tonight. They produce an antiseptic, laxative effect, clear the head and cleanse the stomach. Price, 25 cents. Samples free at The Peoples Drug Store.

SAMUEL WQRST of East Berlin is undergoing treatment at Baltimore hospital for stomach trouble and is improving.

SAVING BLOOD runs you down—makes you an easy victim for organic diseases. Burdock Blood Bitters purifies the blood—cures the cause—builds you up.

EDDIE ANZENGEREIN of Orranna was hit on the head with a stone by an unknown party while attending a festival.

**Born in Iowa.**

Our family were all born and raised in Iowa, and have used Chamberlain's Soda, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy made at Des Moines for years. We know how good it is from long experience in the use of it. In fact, when in El Paso, Texas, the writer's life was saved by the prompt use of this remedy. We are now engaged in the mercantile business at Narcoossee, Fla., and have introduced the remedy here. It has proven very successful and is constantly growing in favor.—ENNIS Bros. This remedy is for sale by The Peoples Drug Store.

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**GRAIN, FLOUR,**  
**SALT, FEEDS,**  
c. Also a large assortment of  
**..LUMBER and COAL..**

We wish for a continuance of all the old and  
new customers of the house and the public in general  
We pay the cash for all our goods and **WEEKLY**  
FOR THE CASH.

**Attention**  
**Horse Breeders!**

the fine German Coach  
Horse, owned by the  
GETTYSBURG GERMAN  
COACH HORSE CO., will stand at the  
following places for the season of 1900:

Monday, Friday and Saturday  
at the Gettysburg Hotel Stable.

Tuesday and Wednesday at  
stable of Harry Brown, Fairfield.

Thursday at the hotel stable,  
McKnightstown.

**Sieto** is a fine Mshogany Bay  
horse weighs 1300 lbs., stands 16  
hands high. He was im-  
ported from Germany in 1900. He is  
of Oldenburg and Hanoverian Duchs, being  
among the largest breeders of  
this type under the German Government  
supervision which produces the  
finest cavalry horses in the world.  
These large handsome horses are im-  
ported most extensively to cross upon  
our ordinary mares to produce hand-  
some carriage and general purpose  
horses with great lung power and dur-  
ability.

The German  
Coach Horse  
Sieto - No. 3625  
Sire - Sultan II, No. 901; by Martin  
S15, by Bernhard No. 804; Dam V.  
Dido, No. 916, by Palatin No. 1180, by  
Ardio No. 1000, by Agamemnon No.  
569. Has been accepted for register in  
Vol. III of The German Hanoverian  
and Oldenburg Coach Horse Stud  
Book, Aug. 21, 1900, under the rules of  
the Association, and numbered 3625.

**The Gettysburg Ger-**  
**man Coach Horse**  
**Company.**

# The Gettysburg National Bank

Organized as a State bank 1814 and  
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**CAPITAL STOCK IS \$145,150**  
**ITS SURPLUS \$110,000,**  
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Its officers aim to keep up its record of  
fair dealing, courtesy, safety and despatch  
in all of its business transactions.

### It Pays 3 Per Cent. Interest

on special time certificates of deposit. It  
does a general banking business and  
looks carefully after the interests of de-  
positors and clients. It solicits your  
patronage. Its officers are:

WM. M'SHERRY, President  
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During the period of the erection of the  
new Bank Building the business will be  
conducted in the

### WILLS BUILDING

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### EXPLOSIVES.

#### Dangerous Substances That Are In Almost Constant Use.

Among the many things in almost  
constant use are some that are more or  
less dangerous from their explosive  
properties, properties often entirely  
unknown to their users.

For example, chloride of potash  
terceres if accidentally brought in  
contact with an unlighted phosphorous  
match are dangerous. Bicarbonate of  
potash mixed with subnitrate of bi-  
muth the latter a remedy for indiges-  
tion will explode.

Iodine of nitrogen is highly explo-  
sive and is often combined with other  
drugs. Its use by those ignorant of its  
danger is menace.

Sulphur and chloral hydrate are,  
under certain conditions, as dangerous  
as dynamite.

Picture of iron and dilute aqua regia  
when mixed, as they often are in med-  
icine, throw off a highly explosive gas,  
which has frequently shattered the bot-  
tle in which the mixture was kept.

One often finds bottles of medicine in  
which the cork has not been tightly  
pushed minus the latter or has had a  
cork pop out of a bottle while held in  
one's hands without any attempt to re-  
move it on the part of the holder. This  
always shows that gas is forcing the  
cork out.

Danger in combs

Ever now and then one reads of cel-  
luloid articles, from fancy hair coiffure  
combs down, catching fire and serious  
burns or accidents resulting.

It would seem that every one should  
by this time know that celluloid con-  
tains in its composition gun cotton and  
also camphor, both highly inflammable.

No woman wearing celluloid combs or  
hair ornaments should place her head  
near an uncovered gas jet or other un-  
protected light, as celluloid catches fire  
so quickly and burns so rapidly that it  
would hardly be possible to avoid seri-  
ous burns.—St. Louis Republic.

### TRAVELERS ABROAD.

#### A Document That Should Be Carried In One's Pocketbook.

Replies to an inquiry about the dis-  
position of the body of an American  
dying in London, our consul general  
offers some advice to citizens of this  
country traveling abroad. He says:

"If a citizen of the United States is  
traveling abroad unaccompanied. It  
would be well for him to carry in his  
satchel or pocketbook written instruc-  
tions as to what he desires should be  
done in the event of anything happen-  
ing to him. The envelope containing  
such instructions should be headed,  
'Instructions in the event of my death.'

Inclosed he should give his home ad-  
dress or the address of a friend in the

United States, so that communication  
could be made, or the address of any  
friend or business connection on this  
side could be mentioned with the same  
object and for the purpose of obtain-  
ing necessary funds. I have been in-  
formed on credible authority that a  
person has no legal right to control the  
disposition of his remains, although I  
have no doubt relatives or friends  
would respect the wishes of the de-  
ceased. In the event of the death in  
this country of a person domiciled in  
the United States at any of the hotels  
an undertaker is at once called in and  
the remains removed therefrom, pro-  
vided always the deceased has had  
proper medical attendance and that the  
doctor attending gives a certificate of  
death. If the death is sudden, the cor-  
oner of the district is at once notified  
and an inquest is held, the body in the  
meantime being removed to a public  
mortuary pending result of the in-  
quest. If the verdict of death from  
natural causes be rendered, the cor-  
oner signs an order and gives it to the  
representative of the deceased, who in-  
structs the undertaker what to do.  
The transportation of the remains is  
in the hands of the friends or the rep-  
resentative of the deceased and is not  
controlled by any local or government  
authority."

#### In Another Voice.

As the pastor of the Zion's Hill  
church looked down at his parishioners,  
to whom he had been giving thirty-five  
minutes of sound doctrine, his  
face took on a less benignant expres-  
sion.

"Bredren an' sisters," he said, "I  
want to warn you against one thing.  
an' dat is thinkin' every man dat don't  
hab jes' de same views you got is a no  
count religionist."

"I don't want to hear so much talk  
about 'wolves in sheep's clothing' as I  
been hearin'. You don't want to settle it  
in yo' mind dat a man's a wolf in  
sheep's clothin' jes' because he don't  
exactly like you do." — Youth's  
Companion.

#### Gout the Foe of Consumption.

Sir Dyce Duckworth in his address  
to the faculty of medicine said that  
many persons were constitutionally  
disposed to rheumatism and gout,  
an important characteristic in such  
cases was the antagonism of the  
tissues to the law of metabolism.  
The more rheumatic or gouty a person  
the less pronounced is his resistance  
to consumption. — London Post.

#### Role of the Past.

"So woman, you treasure another  
woman's photograph?"

"Don't be foolish, Henry. This is a  
trait of yourself when you look  
back." — Louisville Courier-Journal.

#### Powerful Explosives.

"That's the last of my explosives,"  
he said, "I've never heard of any  
other than dynamite, nitro-glycerine,  
etc., that can be used in  
any way." replied the ex-thief  
to the Chicago News.

There is no need of the unhappy  
Chicago thief.

# THE LOVE OF WAH SOUNG

By A. H. Martin

### HE DIDN'T GO HUNGRY.

Neither Did His Partner After Their Scheme Succeeded.

The man who once was down and  
out, but is no longer, was telling  
the other day of one of his poverty  
time devices.

He was traveling with another chap  
just as much down and out as he and  
both were hungry. Their capital was  
insignificant, and they didn't intend to  
spend any of it. But they had a revolver,  
which suggested to the first man a scheme. It worked out some  
thing like this:

"I went into a pretty good looking  
restaurant," said the prosperous one,  
taking a long draw at his cigar, "and  
as my clothes looked pretty good I  
wasn't an object of suspicion. I had  
an overcoat which belonged to my  
partner.

"As the overcoat and the revolver  
were chief characters in the ensuing  
drama, they have to be mentioned  
prominently. I got a seat right near  
the door and hung up my coat so that  
it was only a step away from the door.  
Then I sat down and ordered a  
square one, a meal that it would be  
impossible to describe it was so good.  
It was flavored with the sauce of absti-  
nence—from food.

"I ate and ate and ate, and by and  
by my partner came along. Without  
his overcoat—and it was a cold day—he  
didn't look good. He hung around  
the door for a long while, looking like  
a hobo getting up his nerve to come in  
and beg.

"Just about the time he made a sig-  
nal to me that showed he was about to  
enter I got up to go to the cigar counter  
to pick out a nice after dinner smoke.  
In came my partner and slunk up  
to the desk to ask for a bit of food.

"Nothing doing. He was turned  
down cold. Then to make the thing  
work better he came up to me and  
asked: 'Say, boss, won't you give me a  
lift? I'm down and out.' I repulsed  
him sternly, and after looking around  
he started out.

"I said to the proprietor in a virtuous  
way, 'I don't believe in helping  
those bums,' to which he answered  
with a smug shake of the head, when  
my partner grabbed the overcoat. I  
knew what he was doing, but I pre-  
ferred to be very much interested in  
the cigar until the proprietor yelled  
out, 'Hey, he's stealing your coat!'

"I held on to the cigar, wheeled  
around and started for my partner.  
He was half out of the door. I yelled,  
'Drop that!' and for answer he drew  
the revolver and flourished it.

"The proprietor dropped behind the  
counter, and the waiters fled to the  
kitchen. From his place the proprietor  
called out: 'Look out! He'll shoot you!'

And, taking my cue, I let him run out.

"Then when the excitement cleared  
off I raised an awful row about losing  
the coat, and the proprietor finally  
came up with the money for a new  
one, say about \$30. Well, did that  
meal pay me? What?"—New York  
Sun.

#### Exploding a Mine in Granite.

One of the methods of quarrying  
granite is to dislodge a huge sheet  
from the surface of the formation  
through the medium of a powder mine.  
A large perpendicular shaft is first  
blasted to a depth of about thirty  
feet. At the bottom of this and radiat-  
ing in all directions horizontally, like  
the spokes of a huge wheel, long holes  
are drilled. The extremities of these  
holes are then shot with light charges  
of dynamite in order to create cham-  
bers large enough to receive large  
quantities of black powder. This takes  
weeks of ever increasing charges.  
Then the final charge is loaded. The  
now huge chambers at the extremities  
of the spokes are packed with hun-  
dreds of pounds of powder, numerous  
electric wires attached and the whole  
mine tamped with fine material. A  
mighty roar and rumble in the bowels  
of the earth and the huge sheet is de-  
tached from the ledge.—Popular Me-  
chanics.

#### A Fraudulent Tax.

A well to do German farmer in a  
western state came into the town of  
which he was accounted a resident to  
pay his taxes. The bill was handed to  
him, itemized as follows:

State tax.....	\$15.90
County tax.....	8.50
School tax.....	5.00

Total ..... \$29.40

After the German had carefully scrin-  
zized the bill he set his lips tightly  
and in a very determined manner said:

"I pays de state tax, I pays de coun-  
ty tax and I pays de school tax, but  
I be doggoned if I pays dat total tax.  
I never had no total tax! I think he  
is a fraud!"—St. Paul Pioneer Press.

#### Missed the Mark.

A north of England clergyman re-  
cently preached against ill-natured  
gossiping and spoke pretty plainly to  
his congregation on the subject. One  
of the men of the congregation to whom  
he was especially appealing came up to  
him after the service. The vicar thought  
he had touched her and that she was about to express contrition,  
but she said, "Ah, vicar, I am so glad  
you spoke out, and what a good thing  
it was. The Vicar said, 'Were there to  
heat you?' Church Family Newspa-  
per.

#### Greediness Appreciated.

"Katy, we're in the big school," re-  
marked Mr. Peacock to his best pupil,  
Horatio St. George.

"What's the big school?" asked  
Horatio. "It's the school where  
there's lots of money," said Mr. Peacock.  
"I don't know if there's lots of money  
there, but there's lots of people," said  
Katy.

"It is a miserable thing to live in sus-  
pense. It is the life of a spider—  
Swift."

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